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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & 2nd DEGREE CHILD ABUSE ARREST

October 13, 2015 at 9:00 am

Complaint Number: 781-09492-15

Date/Time of Incident: Monday, October 12, 2015 at 10:21 pm

Location: Bay Hill Apartment Complex

Traverse City Police, Fire and North Flight EMS were dispatched to an apartment at the above location for a report of a 3 month old infant bleeding from the mouth. The infant was immediately transported to the Munson Medical Center and has since been transported to the Helen DeVos Children's Hospital in Grand Rapids.

The mother, a 22 year old Traverse City woman, was arrested for Domestic Assault and 2nd Degree Child abuse. The Domestic Assault victim was described as her boyfriend and is a 22 year old Traverse City man.

The mother was reportedly intoxicated and had allegedly dropped the infant at some point earlier in the evening. The infant began bleeding from the mouth, became unresponsive and the mother called 911.

The report and warrant request will be forwarded to the Grand Traverse County Prosecuting Attorney's Office this morning for review. The suspect is scheduled for bond setting at 1:30 pm in front the 86th District Court Magistrate where an arraignment date will be set.

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